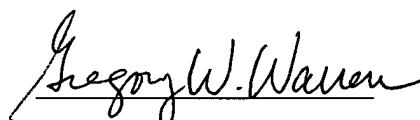


REMARKS

Applicant has elected to prosecute group I (claims 1-33) and SEQ ID NO: 4794 in the instant application without traverse. Claims 1-4, 19 and 20 have been amended accordingly. Claims 34-43 have been canceled as being drawn to non-elected inventions. Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications on the non-elected subject matter. After entry of this amendment claims 1-33 will be pending.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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